



# Desert Winds Quilt Guild

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The purpose of this organization is:

To contribute to the knowledge and appreciation of fine quilts.

To sponsor and support quilting activities.

To encourage quilt making and collecting.

To contribute to the knowledge of quilting techniques, textiles, patterns, and history through educational meetings, workshops, travel, and friendship.

To pursue charitable works within the community

# Club News

May 6 - General Meeting

## Our Prolific Quilters

This was a fairly well attended meeting., as you can see by the pictures on this page. Refreshments were enjoyed by all. The show and tell portion was spectacular. I tried to put more pictures in, but you wouldn't appreciate blurred pictures. Ladies please slow down, let us



admire the quilts, then I can put a few more pictures in. So ladies show us your pride and joys. No more whip it out and roll 'em ups!

Desert Winds Quilt Guild doors open at 9:00 a.m., meeting starts at 9:30 a.m., the first Tuesday of each month at the:

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Dear Quilting Sisters,

While delivering our Desert Winds Banner to the Fair, I noticed that all of the side walls were bare, and there weren't many other fiber arts items for display. They have a nice display of quilts in the center of the hall, but not as many as we are used to seeing. Our mission statement says that we are to promote quilting, and the Fair is a good place to start.

The place I'm going to start will be at the next Sit 'n' Sew. Flo Sousa and Patricia Wells have two great programs planned for Tuesday the 20th. Patricia is going to do a "Jelly Roll Race," and Flo is going to do a "Jelly Roll" (for the rest of us who are...slow). If I still don't finish, I know I can go to Sewation on any Tuesday and get more help from Barbb or one of our other quilting sisters who go there...maybe I'll even have a quilt in the Fair next year.

Please be sure to congratulate/thank Jan Knowlton for stepping up to the plate, and taking over the chairmanship of charity quilts. Jan did this job several years ago, and already she has found out some very interesting things. I don't want to steal her thunder so I'll let her tell you at the June meeting.

Next month we will have double the raffle prizes because we didn't have enough time for it this month. Our apologies to Billie and Rose for the extra trouble/work we made for them.  
Sincerely

Vivian

### NOTES FROM PROGRAMS

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Hello Ladies,

This next meeting we will be having a lecture on 51 fun ways to use yo yos with Allyson Allen. The June meeting will be a potluck.

I contacted the bus company on the price of a road trip to the Quilt In a Day quilt shop and 6 side trips on the way there or back, the cost of the bus is \$1400.00, which means when you break it down, per person it's only 27.00 a person. I think we would use more in gas using our own

cars than that. No date has been set as of right now they need a 100.00 down payment, I was thinking in September either Tuesday the 23 or 30.

The retreat planing meeting is going to be meeting next month just don't have a date or time, I am thinking we will have the retreat in October some time, bearing that there isn't a fire. Lets all cross are fingers and toes and anything else that we can.

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The June sit and sew is going to be a 4th of July table runner and I will have the patterns at the June meeting, only the ones that are going to sit and sew will get the pattern. If you are interested in making one let me know by email so I can have enough for all. I will have a sample of them at the next meeting.

The July meeting is the 4th of July picnic, and will be a pot lock. We will be playing a game so bring your 3 fat quarters this time.

The boys challenge is due in August, and the August meeting is a luau, come in your grass skirt and coconut shells and anything else you can think of, flower print clothing is ok too.

Thank you

Pat

## SEWATION

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June already and I am still trying to finish UFO's!

How are YOU doing with your UFO's? In June, we have two days for Sewation, June 10 and June 24\*.

As usual, bring your favorite project and work on it all day Tuesday at my home. All Guild members are welcome to join in the fun. Time is 9 a.m. until...? Potluck is always plentiful and quilters are such good cooks! See you soon.

Barbb

\*Because I have a cardiology dr. appt on Tuesday, June 24th, Sewation for that day will be held on the following day, Wednesday, June 25, same times, same place. Thank you.



### **Roberts Rules of Order.....**

Boy, did I let myself in for a job? Robert's Rules of Order is considered the 'bible' of parliamentary rules and procedure for meetings. Have you read the book? I have been trying to read and put together a 'simple' explanation to give us guidance in our code of conduct and procedures during our meetings. There really is no 'simple' explanation. Robert's Rules is very formal. I doubt we want/or need that much formality. Therefore, let it suffice to say, that the "Chair" (President) conducts the meeting. The "Chair" recognizes members to allow them to speak. The "Chair" asks for a motion on the item before the membership.

Each member who speaks stands up, states their name, and makes a motion or contributes to the discussion at hand. The "Chair" then requests a member to "second the motion." When the motion has been moved and seconded the "Chair" requests any additional debate/discussion from members. If there is no additional debate/discussion, the "Chair" requests a vote on the motion that was 'made and seconded.' "Ayes" and "Nays" are counted and recorded by the Secretary.

I have decided that I am NOT a parliamentarian, but (as most of you will agree) I think the 'rules of civility' should always apply to the way we conduct ourselves in our dealings with others. In the following months, I will attempt to explain the duties of Board Members. Next month, A 'review' of the duties of the "Chair" (President) and the "Treasurer" as put forth in the book, Robert's Rules of Order. Our Guild By-laws also have explanations of the duties of Board Members. That is why we need to review them in a committee setting. Please support Sara Arnold in this endeavor.

Thank you,

Barbb

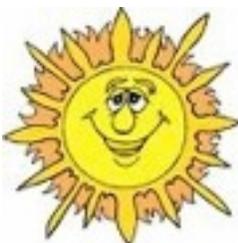
# Committee Reports

## SUNSHINE

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Frances Theragood is having surgery on her right wrist.

Joyce Logue is having hip surgery in the near future so she has to give up hosting the refreshment table.

Please contact me at 760-948-2626 or e-mail me at [mumoftheearth@hotmail.com](mailto:mumoftheearth@hotmail.com) to let me know about anyone who is in need of me to send cards, etc. Sometimes I don't find out until the meeting. It would be nice to know ahead of time.

Thank you all

Jean



## FAT QUARTERS



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There were 15 fat quarters turned in and the Winner is Mary Ellen Mathews.

"Kid's Prints is the theme for next months fat quarters.

Celeste

## CHARITY

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I have volunteered as the Charity Chairman, I know it is a big job and the shoes are going to be hard to fill. I will give it my best. Many years ago I was the Charity Chairman for Desert Winds.

Desert Winds was the first quilting guild I joined. The members from then are very dear to my heart and I hope to get to know the members I don't know yet. Charity quilts are a by-product of being a quilter. People usually join a guild to be an informed accomplished quilter and able to make beautiful works of art for themselves and their family. Charity quilts give you the opportunity to try new things on a smaller playing field. If it doesn't work the kids won't know, it will still be warm and cuddly. If the material is left over or not to your liking for your beautiful quilt we will be admiring for its color and workmanship during show and tell, use it for them or give it to someone who well.

We join a guild for knowledge, friendship and giving forward. Another thing about making charity quilts is, if you have made everyone in your family and your friends quilts, you don't have to stop making them. You can still make quilts for those who are in need and want to be loved.

Jan

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June's signups reminder:

Mele Bond                Peggy Winters  
Debbie Higgins       Gladys Cubit  
Lynn Brown            Meri Walker

Joyce

**BARGAIN TABLE**

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The poor, empty Bargain Table is crying out for fabric. Please, please, feed her with your donations. We are almost out of items and would appreciate you searching your stash and donating whatever you can. It all goes towards our Guild. Thank you....

Pat



Mele Bond    6/2  
Ruby Nelson  6/10  
Dolores Gunn 6/12  
Meri Walker  6/12

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ALL!

If we have missed anyone, let us know so our membership roster can be updated.

**SIT N SEW**

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In May at the Sit & Sew, we will be doing a fun quilt with "jelly rolls". If you are interested, details will be given at our guild meeting. Looking forward to a fun time with our quilting sisters. Remember - May 20th.

Flo

**BLOCK OF THE**

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There were 5 blocks for May and Sharon Bremer won them. June's BOM is Mr. Roosevelt's Necktie. Use a plaid or stripe for the necktie and a matching solid or solid looking for the background.

Jean

**HEARTS AND BEARS**

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No Hearts and Bears were collected at this meeting. However on April 9, 2014 - 88 Hearts and 141 Bears were delivered to Victor Valley Hospital.

Carrie



**MEMBERSHIP**

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At the May meeting there were 42 people present. One new member, Gina Cloutier, one returning member, Mary Ellen Mathews, and five guests Julie Lee, Pat Sovern, Jackie Palmer, Marcia Petron and Nancy Whittington. Celeste Foslien won the door prize.

Katy

**RAFFLE TABLE**

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Here's the list of the raffle table suppliers for the month of June. If you haven't signed up please do so, especially for the months of June, July and August

Thank you

*Rose & Billie*

Mele Bond	Flo Souza
Dolores Gunn	Meri Walker
Jeannie Murdock	Debbie Higgins
Carrie Baker	

**UPCOMING SHOWS****June 19-22 & 26-29 2014**

16th Annual Southern California Quilter's Run  
[www.quiltersrun.com](http://www.quiltersrun.com)

**June 27-29, 2014**

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**June 28-29, 2014**

Seven Sisters Quilt Show  
 Alex Madonna Expo, San Luis Obispo, CA  
 Over 300 quilts and 45 vendors. Jan Krentz is  
 Featured Artist with Lecture and Workshops.  
[www.aqgcc.org](http://www.aqgcc.org)

**August 1 - September 21, 2014**

30 Quilts for 30 Years: Caryl Bryer Fallert-Gentry  
 Visions Art Museum, San Diego, CA  
[www.saqa.com/calendar-detail.php?ID=4067](http://www.saqa.com/calendar-detail.php?ID=4067)

**August 16-17, 2014**

"Generations of Quilts" Show  
 Quilt Daze X Quilt Show  
 Yorba Linda Community Center  
 4501 Casa Loma, Yorba Linda (So Cal), CA  
 info: 714-970-7127

**DIY Pointers for Repairing Your Own Quilt.**

*In the weeks to follow there will be a total of 10 pointers if space allows. This information is found on the:*  
[quiltingboard.com](http://quiltingboard.com)

6. Try to stitch exactly like the original stitch. You can use a machine stitch, but it is advisable to use a hand stitch wherever possible.
7. When it comes to removing the old fabric pieces, try this instead: Place the new pieces on top of the old ones rather than removing them and then stitch on the new ones.
8. It is not necessary to stitch the fabric every time that it has torn apart. Try fabric melding products on the market to weld the stitches. Fabric melding products are used to join tears instead of the traditional way of stitching. Follow the instructions as directed, and the tear can be mended.

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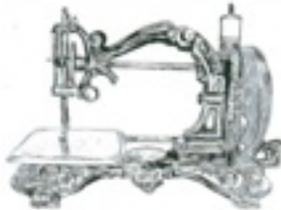
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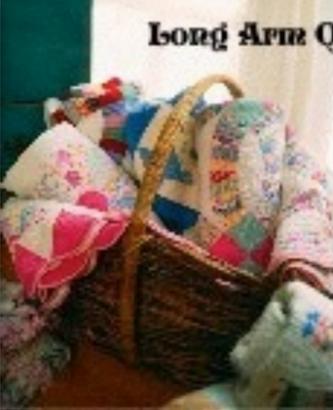


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